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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 17, 1997, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

AMENDMENTS

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1 and 13 as follows:

1. (Twice Amended) A method for treating a cancer in a human, wherein the cancer is susceptible to treatment with gossypol, a physiologically acceptable salt of gossypol, gossypolone, a [or] physiologically acceptable salt[s thereof] of gossypolone, or any combination thereof, which method comprises:

administering to said human an anti-cancer effective amount of [a] at least one compound selected from the group consisting of gossypol, a physiologically acceptable salt of gossypol, gossypolone, [or] and a physiologically acceptable salt[s thereof] of gossypolone, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, wherein administration of said anti-cancer

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